ANS Early Correspondence 1889

Extent: 46 items: 39 letters, 7 other documents.

Part of: American Numismatic Society, Early Correspondence, 1858-1908.

Main Correspondents: Henry Russell Drowne; Daniel Parish, Jr.; Charles Pryer; Charles H. Wright; William Poillon; David L. Walter; William R. Weeks.

Other Correspondents: Thomas Cunningham; J. Earnest Yalden; [Office of the Journal of Cyprian Studies]; C.W.W. Dove; Robert Shiells; Calvin Tomkins; Robert C. Alexander; [W.T.R. Marvin & Sons]; Herbert F. Soverell; Richard H. Lawrence; Charles Pryer; Horatio R. Storer; C.J.H. Woodbury; Charles Gregory; F.W. Christern; L. Bradford Prince; Frank E. Draper; George R. Cathcart; J.E. McGovern; L. Bradford Prince; George W. Van Siclen; George W. Keifer; Gilbert M. Plympton; John B. Ireland?; H.K. Elkins; Rev. H.R. Coleman; William L. Bramhall; Henry H. Flint; William Boerum Wetmore; Henri de Morgan; William H. Young; Miss Rachel T. Barrington.

Noted Subjects: The Journal of Cyprian Studies reach out; Daniel Parish Jr. doesn't think he should continue in the office of President, due to his poor health; Charles Pryer accepts the position of ANS Treasurer, vacated by Betts; Amendments to the ANS By-Laws proposed by David L. Walter held over; George W. Keifer discusses his Peruvian antiquities.

Noted Documents:

- Proposals/Letters of New/Life/Corr. Members: Calvin Tomkins; Robert Shiells; Horatio R. Storer; F.B. Tilghman; Charles V. Stehlin; L. Bradford Prince.
- Member Resignation Letters: J. Earnest Yalden; Robert C. Alexander; F.W. Christern; Frank E. Draper; George R. Cathcart; George W. Van Siclen [withdrawn]; Gilbert M. Plympton; [John B. Ireland] [withdrawn]
- ANS Member Obituaries/Deaths: John Turtle Wood
- Daniel Parish Jr. doesn't think he should continue in the office of President, due to his poor health [Mar. 8]
- Charles Pryer accepts the position of ANS Treasurer [Mar. 15]
- Amendments to the ANS By-Laws proposed by David L. Walter held over [Mar. 19]
- Charles Pryer believes the Treasurer's previous list of active ANS Members may be incorrect [Apr. 7]

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- William L. Bramhall mentions having been an active ANS member until the breaking out of the Civil War [Oct. 14]
- ANS Curator of Numismatics Report [Nov. 1889]
- William R. Weeks acknowledges the receipt of the ANS Book of Minutes, loaned from the Society's rooms, from which he hopes to "obtain facts of historical interest" [Dec. 2]
- American Numismatic and Archaeological Society Instructions [Dec. 5]

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Thomas Cunningham	accepts Perm. Corres. Member	Jan. 3
Calvin Tomkins	prop as Resident member	Jan. 15
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T. A. Marvin & Son	RE: Proceedings	Mar. 5
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Chas. Pryer	RE; being candidate for Treasurer	Mar. 15
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W. B. Wetmore	new address	Nov. 15
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OBIT John Turte Wood MAR. 25

Mohawk Jan 3d 1889

Mr H Russell Drowne

Dear Sir

Your's of Dec 9 & Jan 1st have just come to hand Please to give my most sincere thanks to the Officers and members of the American Numismatic and Archaological Society It is an undeserved honor on my part you will find me to be a very lean correspondent any thing that I might say to a learned body of men as you are would fall very flat I think you are mistaken about the card money I have one 50¢ with an autograph signature of F E Spinner and no name for Register on all the specimens were sent to me by Mr Spinner This billage is

residence here is where he
comes to vote he has never
changed his residence but
this fall the yellow fever
kept him in Florida
Should you publish a revised
list of the U S F currency please
send me a copy Do you know
of an advanced collector who
would like to buy a fine —
collection which contain a
no of unique pieces Should
you here please write me

Most Respectfully

Thomas. Cunningham

Thomas Cunningham

Acceptance

Perm. Corres - Member

Jany 3rd - 1889

FORM OF NOMINATION.

Name in full Calvin Tomkins

Residence 150 Broadway N. Y. City

Proposed as a Resident Member of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society, by

(*Signed*) Andrew C. Zabriskie

Resident *Member.*

Dated 15th *of* January 1889.

All communications of this character to be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society," Mott Memorial Hall, 64 Madison Avenue, New York.

Calvin Tompkins

Proposed as a
Resident Member

Elected Jany 15 - 1889

FORM OF NOMINATION.

Name in full Robert Shells

Residence Neenah, Wisconsin

Proposed as a 2 year Cor Member of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society, by

(*Signed*) Wm Porlon

President *Member.*

Dated 10th *of* January 1889

All communications of this character to be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society," Mott Memorial Hall, 64 Madison Avenue, New York.

Certif of Mem $2.00

P. A. Hinchs

Vaccination as a Cure

Boston, Dec 18. 1882

v

1744 B'dway
City.
Jan 16. 89

H. R. Drowne Esq;

Dear Sir;

I write you these few lines to tell you I have decided to sever my connection with the society not a great loss I am well aware of, and herewith tender my resignation.

Yours truly
J. Ernest Halden

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[illegible] March 14 1819

Nicosia Cyprus 26. 1. 89.

Office of "The Journal of Cyprian Studies"

Dear Sir,

I have send to you regularly the newspaper "The Owl", the Feuilleton of which on "Science, Literature & Art" under my management.

From March next the second publication shall be devided from the Local sheet, which of course has also only a local interest specially by the way Mr. H. G. Clarke insists to conduct it. Under such circumstances we decided both to deride the papers. The Mr. Clarke will continue "the Owl" as a local social & political paper, meanwhile I will issue as responsable Editor, Manager & sole proprietor for the

Secretary of the American Numismatic and Archaeological Society

New York.

new monthly periodical
"The Journal of Egyptian studies".
I have send you with last mail the January number of the Feuilleton of the Owl, in which I have given a short programm how this journal shall be conducted.
Professor R. Virchow of Berlin University will be one of the scholars who will publish in ~~this~~ one of the first issues of this Journal a longer & richly illustrated paper.
I beg to lay this my letter before the Executive Committee of our Society, of which I have the honour to be a member. I beg you, the Committee and all the members of our Society to support this my Journal, may it be by contributing, subscribing or in any other respect. Of course only under great personal sacrifices "The Feuilleton of the Owl" has been started & to a higher degree this wi...

be the case with "The Journal of Cypri-
an studies". Would I not have
been supported by friends in & out
of the Island, by scholars and
maecens with donations in
money, illustrations, drawings
etc, this, what has been, & what shall
be done, would have been beyond
my means, an impossibility.
I beg You, Your Committee and
the Members of the Society to
support me in this pure scientific
enterprise, by which shall be benefited
science from an international
standpoint.
I claim the merit to have been
amongst those who have drawn
the proper light on Col. L. P. di Cesnola,
where he has his great merits and
where not.
I have using Prof. A. H. Sayce
of Oxford University own words
introduced order and arrangement into the

Archaeology of a country where all before was chaos.

Before the merits and works of Col. L. P. di Cesnola have been properly appreciated & criticized the value of Cyprian antiquities have been largely overestimated. The reaction has produced the contrary. The value of Cypr. antiquities has been afterwards underestimated and in certain times still to a certain extend this movement, which is as less justified as the previous one, the other extreme.

For America The International News Company will be my agent. I beg you and all your friends and the members of our Society to apply for subscription to this my agent in case you or any person who takes an interest should desire to subscribe. In every other matter as also in the matter of contributions I would beg to correspond with me direct.

Finally I am glad to inform you that on my motion the Royal Berlin Museum has applied to the English Government for a permit to excavate in Cyprus & in Idalion. I have been appointed by the Berlin Museum authorities as Chief Superintendent while Mr. Brown Chief Engineer to Government has been asked to act as Agent for Berlin. His Excellency Sir Henry Bulwer the High Commissioner of Cyprus has sanctioned approved for the English Government such nominations.

The subscribers of the "Journal of Cyprian Studies" will therefore also find enough recompensation for their subscriptions beginning at once.

Yours faithfully

[illegible] Falsch-Richter

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Boston - Mass. 1st. 15. 1887.

Dear Sir:

If I had taken the trouble, on leaving it to have sent to our secretary, on dues at the time I joined the society, I should have seen what sort of membership I held. - I now beg to apologize for the unnecessary trouble I have caused you.

Thanking you for your polite and kind letter of the 28th ult. the sentiment contained in the closing sentence of which I most heartily reciprocate, - I am,

Very truly yours,

H. R. A. W.

H. Russell Drown

Secy. Nat. Hist. Soc.
New York.

Robt. Shiells, Pres.t J. A. Kimberly, Vice Pres.t John T. Shiells, Cashier

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Wm. Russell Drowne Esq. Secy.
New York

Dear Sir

I am both pleased & proud to acknowledge your favor of 28th ult. I gladly accept of my election as a Corresponding Member of the Amer. Numismatic & Arch. Society. I hope I shall be able to do enough to keep my footing good.

Very Truly Yours
Robt. Shiells

Post. Chiefs

Questions

Unexplained [illegible]

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CALVIN TOMKINS,
CONSTRUCTION SUPPLIES

New York, Feb. 6th 9

H. Russell Drowne Secy.

Dear Sir:- Replying to your valued favor of the 28th ult. let me say that I thank the Society for the honor conferred on me, that I accept with pleasure & that I have sent notice to the Trustees as requested by the By Laws.

I am
Yours respectfully
Calvin Tomkins

Calvin Tompkins

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President Member

ROBERT C. ALEXANDER,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR AT LAW,
23 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK.

February 12. 1889

H. Russell Drowne, Esq
Secy Am. Numismatic Soc
Dear Sir.

I hereby resign my membership in the American Numismatic & Archaeological society, as I find it impossible to attend its meetings. —

On joining the society two and a half years ago, I paid, besides the initiation fee, a further sum, I think $3 or $5, for a medal or certificate of membership which I have never received. You may think it proper that this sum be refunded.

Yours Respectfully
R. C. Alexander

Robert C. Weyender

Resignation.

Feby 12 - 1889

Accepted Mch 19 - 1889
(Apl 15 - 1889)

Please return this letter
H. L. Drowne

Boston, March 5, 1889.

My Dear Mr Drowne:

I now send the conclusion of Mr. Zabriskie's paper, and the beginnining of Mr Oliver's. The remainder of that will follow tomorrow. I also send proof of the editorial beyond Mr. Oliver's paper, which as you will see ends very abruptly. There seems to be a page or two of the copy missing. It was sent to you when the proofs were sent some weeks ago, and was not set up. It should not have been sent. Perhaps Mr. Walter retained it, as he saw we had not got so far; but this is all we have. If he did not retain it it did not come back, and possibly was omitted in sending the original Manuscript. We shall need it to finish the books. These Proceedings are the most complete and full as well as the most interesting you have ever printed. Mr. Colburn is quite pleased with them, ad is intending to reprint, with credit of course, Mr. Doughty's paper on "a neglected series" in the next (April) Journal. Our Society is not very active. Dr. Woodward used to have some interesting exhibition at every meeting, but he is unable to do much now. He seems to be breaking up. Mr. Colburn's health is not good, and Mr. Appleton being in Europe, our meetings have been very poorly attended of late. We envy the prosperity and interest which is attending the New York Society.

Very Truly Yours,

W. H. Colburn

The proofs sent now can my it up to page 61 —

A. P. Merrington

Letter

March 5 - 1878

Mch 7 '89

My Dear Browne -

As I understand from your Postal that Horatio R Storrell is not on our Rolls I would like his name proposed for Permanent Corres Member as I know him to be worthy of that honor -

Will you please refer to your Book of Publications and let me know what has been furnished in the way of Proceedings &c to both R. Storrer and the Newport Historical Soc

Yours very Truly

W. F. Poulton

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102 East Eighteenth St. New York
Friday March 8th 1889.

Henry Russell Downe Esq
Dear Sir

Many thanks for your letter received this morning with the endorsements from Messrs Gabrielsen and Richter which I return. I regret to say that my health is not sufficiently restored to enable me to go out at night or to give any idea when I can do so. In fact my own lack of strength is such at present as to make it almost to ask the doctor when I am likely to do it. Still I am going on very well in the house but my efforts out of doors are limited to about two hours a day when I must keep in the open air as much as possible or else I will feel the effects. I am very sorry this is so as I long to be able to go about as formerly but on the other hand it might easily be worse as I have heard of one case where it is feared that the patient will never be seen

in 81. and two others have sailed for Europe, one if not both under medical advice that there was no mercy for them here. Fortunately I am exempt from anything of that kind and as I hope to say so and as I feel there are instincts of my being not only in better health but stronger than I ever was before, I must "make haste slowly." Now having said all this the thought will immediately occur to you that of course it will be impossible for me to be at the annual meeting which is a matter of course thought it is only within a week or so that it has seemed certain. Now this being the case it seems rather absurd for the Society to re-elect me as President when circumstances have prevented my being present. Hence I hope you will recall the conversation we had in January and if any one wishes to know your regard the matter you can say that I think it would be best for the Society

it did some time ago I think so it is not only fair that every one should have a chance but those that are able to be present should be preferred to those who are absent from any cause whatever especially after they have had their turn as I have. Meanwhile do not let it be thought for a moment that I am at all discontented or weary of the motion as I think the prospects of the Society obtaining an influential position in the community were never brighter than they are now but it will take a few years of patient steady effort on the part of every member not only to hold what we have, but to attain further results. I do hope you will now fully understand what is to be done and will call the meeting of the Executive Committee without regard to me. I remain yours very sincerely

Daniel Dansh

Paul Parish Jr

March 8 – 1889

324 Springdale Ave -
East Orange
March [illegible] 1894

Hon. Russell Downs -

Dear Sir -

In [illegible] to yours of 12th I would say that, while I appreciate the honor and want to do what I can for [illegible] I would prefer that my name should not be used as a candidate for the office of Treasurer - It appears to me that the holder of this important office should be a resident of New York or Brooklyn, and one who could attend the meetings regularly. Then I could - If the [illegible] however wished to overcome this objection [illegible] to elect [illegible] I would serve to the [illegible] of my ability -

Yours [illegible] Truly -

Herbert H. Powers

Lefty

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31 BROAD STREET

March 14 - '89

Dear Sir:

I cannot permit my name to be used as candidate for the Treasurership of the Numismatic Society.

Yours truly,

Richd H Lawrence

To

Russell Drowne, Esq.,
Secretary.

P. H. Lawrence

Ky.

March 14 1889

Newtownbellew Jan. 18 1881

The Rev. Michael Dwyer

My Dear Sir,

I am replying to your note of the 7th. I would beg to say the only objection I can see to my accepting the position of reasoning would it be unusual use. It is not a change into a section of how I have delegated my

am not in business, do not have an office there, or even go to town more than once a week, or in fact when I feel like it. Now this lack of a city address might cause confusion in collecting the dues &c. and therefore in correspondence & collection, and make it advisable to have a city resident fill the office. The amount of work would be of little consequence and have ample leisure.

Very respectfully yours

Wm. Russell Bowden of Wm. Rufer.

Chas. Fryer

Kelly -

March 15 - 1889

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American Medical Association.

40th Annual Meeting

AND 250th ANNIVERSARY OF THE SETTLEMENT OF NEWPORT.

It will be noticed that the Session is postponed, by authority, from the First to the FOURTH Tuesday, the 25th, of June, 1889

Newport, R. I., 15 March 1889

Dear ~~Sir~~ Sir:

I regret that ill health or previous engagements will prevent my attending your Anniversary meeting, - as I should have been glad to have done. As a Corresponding Member, it may be in order for me to send to you all, individually & as a Society, the best & truest kindest good wishes - "Ad multos annos!"

Sincerely yours

Wm. R. Storer

Mr. Francis.
Secretary.

Horatio N. Hart.

Feb 15 1889

WM. B. WHITING.
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Boston Manufacturers Mutual Fire Ins. Co.

31 MILK STREET.

Boston, March 19, 1889

H. Russell Drowne, Esq., Secy.,

American Numismatic & Archaeological Society,

New York University Building,

Washington Square, New York.

Dear Sir,

Your favor containing notice of the annual meeting of the society is received, but I regret that it will be impossible for me to be in New York upon that day.

Yours very truly,

C. J. H. Woodbury,
M. E. B.

G. J. Gill Woodbury

Amendment
Proposed by
Dr L Walker
May 14 1889

Adopted

Put in file –

Amendments proposed by the Faculty

1 Amend Chapter III of the By-laws to read

The initiation fee of persons elected resident members of this society shall be five dollars, and the annual dues shall be ten dollars payable in advance.

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2. ~~Other~~ Amend Constitution Art. IV. by striking out "fifty" & inserting "one hundred" and striking out the words "except that those who have been resident members prior to May 17/81 shall be entitled to become life members at the former sum of twenty dollars whenever they see fit"

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John Turtle Wood, F.S.A., F.R.G.S., Elected an Honorary Member of this Society March 21. 1876.
was born in London in 1821. He was educated as an Architect and practiced his profession for some years in London. In 1858 he commenced excavations at Ephesus, in the hope of discovering the remains of the famous temple of Diana. In this he was unsuccessful, but he succeeded in finding the Odeum and the theatre of the City. After four years labor his health being seriously impaired he returned to London.
In 1864, having again funds placed at his disposal by the Trustees of the British Museum, he returned to Ephesus and finally, on the last day of 1869, came upon the temple, twenty two feet below the surface of the ground. It took him about four years to complete the excavation of the site. The results of his work are fully set forth in his Discoveries at Ephesus, published in 1877. Most of the results of his excavations are preserved in the British Museum.
His death occurred March 25th 1889 at Worthing after a short illness.

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New York
Apl 2/89

To the Executive Com. of the
M.Y. Numis. & Arch. So. of N.Y.
Gentlemen

I beg to propose
for Resident member
Mr. F. B. Tilghman
54 Exchange Place
N.Y. City

Respectfully yours
Chas. Gregory

F. B. Tilghman

Proposition for
Resident Membership
April 2 - 1889

Elected June 6 - 1889

ROBERT C. ALEXANDER,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR AT LAW,
23 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK.

April 6, 1889.

Charles Pryer, Esq
Treasurer &c.
Dear Sir,

I return herewith bill of the Am. Numismatic Society which I decline to pay. —

I was elected in November, 1887, and have attended one meeting. At that time I paid your predecessor $12. being $5. for initiation, $5 for dues to Nov. 1888, and $2.00 for certificate. I made several attempts to obtain the certificate for which I had paid, but without success. I asked the return of the money, also without success. Finally I sent my resignation as a member of the Society. Some time afterwards, and only about two weeks ago, the certificate was sent to me [illegible]

to whom I returned word by his messenger that it was of no use to me, having ceased to be a member of the society. I return it herewith. I hope you conclude to return me the 2.00 I paid for it 18 months before. I should be glad to receive it.

If my resignation was not formally accepted when offered, I would be obliged if you would see that it is done, and that my name is omitted from the list of members.

Yours truly

R. C. Alexander

Member 1887

Rec'd Aug 6 - 1887

Rec'd & Acknowledged

American Numismatic and Archaeological Society.

N. Y. UNIVERSITY BUILDING,

Washington Square, N. Y.

New York, April 7th 1889.

Mr H. Russell Drowne.

My Dear Sir,

Will you please have the goodness to allow me to trouble you once more with some questions, regarding some resignations?

In reply to a bill sent out last week you are, for dues of this Soc'y, Mr. F. C. Emmons.

He writes. "I resigned in 1887, having paid my dues to date of said resignation, and have in my possession, the acknowledgement from the Soc'y of the resignation."

Is this statement correct?

I have also a letter of similar purport from Mr R.A. Caldwell who states he owes not* money and has acknowledgement of resignation from Society, and one from Mr. John Sherman, who resigned in 1887. All these names are on the mem. sent me by Mr. Betts as active members will you kindly set me right in the matter, as I desire to remove their names from my books.

Very Sincerely

Yours

Chas Pryer.

to Mr. H. Russell Drowne Esq.

Office of Drowne

Advise all.

FORM OF NOMINATION.

Date. April 15 1887

Name in full Elias V. Stebbins

Residence 144 East 72 St. N. Y. C.

Proposed as a Resident Member of the

American Numismatic and Archæological Society,

by

(Signed) Lyman H. Low
per H. E. D.
Resident Member.

All communications of this character to be addressed to the "Executive Committee of the American Numismatic and Archæological Society."

New York University Building,

Washington Square, New York.

Paid 25 April

Lincoln F. Stehlin

Application for
Resident Membership
April 15 - 1889

Elected June 6 - 1889

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Newburgh, April 1. 1889

Alex. Gray, Esq
New Rochelle

Dear Sir,

Your kind note is received & I am very desirous, at any fairly reasonable price you may be, for I have done for many years, and I regret that any such mistake has happened in assigning my membership, which I beg you to correct.

Trusting I shall see the Bitters in use, I remain, Dear Sir, Very truly.

I beg to enclose my check for $5.00 and I shall have pleasure for introducing new members whenever opportunity occurs.

Yours very truly

F. W. Christern.

E. W. Christern

Resignation

Apl 16-1889

Accepted June 6/89

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AND
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Office of
L. BRADFORD PRINCE,
(Late Chief Justice of New Mexico.)
SANTA-FÉ, NEW MEXICO.

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BROWN, DRAPER & CO.
542 BROADWAY,

New York, Apl. 17th 1880

Mr Charles Tryon Jr.

Dear Sir

I enclose

Check for my due to
the A.H. & S. Soc. I also
beg to offer my resignation
[illegible]
Society, as I find I do
not have time to attend
any of the [illegible],

Yours very truly

[illegible]

H. E. Draper

Resignation
Apl. 17-1889

Accepted June 6 1889

IVISON, BLAKEMAN & CO.
PUBLISHERS OF
SCHOOL BOOKS

753 & 755 Broadway
New York 19th April, 1889.

Mr. Charles Pryor,

New Rochelle, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed find check for $8.78 my dues to the Numismatic and Archaeological Society as per bill rendered. I must apologize for what seems to have been much negligence in not sooner paying my dues but I have been absent a good deal the past two years which probably accounts for it.

I also avail myself of this occasion to resign from the Society as it is inconvenient for me to attend its meetings, and will thank you to present this letter to the Society as a formal resignation.

Yours truly,

Geo. P. Cathcart

Geo. R. Gallicart

Resignation

14 July 1889

Accepted June 6 - 1887

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New York. Apr 23 188

H. R. Drowne Esq

Dear Sir.

As requested I hand you the address of Alex. Palmanno 187 – 14 St. Brooklyn N.Y.

Sarah Cubii 12 4 South 4 room St. Phila Pa

Very Truly
E. M. Lorne

J. E. McGovern

Addresses

Apl 23 – 1889

Territory of New Mexico,

April 28, 91

To the American Numismatic & Archaeological Society,
Gentlemen:

One of my regrets in accepting a position here which prevents my being in New York except occasionally, is that I will not be able to attend meetings of your Society.

I take no less interest in the subject to which the Society is devoted, and I hope from time to time to be able to contribute some articles which will be of interest.

As I will not be able to attend meetings, I respectfully tender my resignation as an active member; but I shall be glad to become a Corresponding member, and will gladly furnish a paper once in a while on some matter within the scope of the Society.

Very truly yours
L. Bradford Prince

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NO. 7 WALL STREET,

New York, May 8th, 188[illegible]

Mr. President.

American Numismatic and Archaeological Society.

Dear Sir:--

It is with regret that I resign from membership in your excellent Society, wherein I had expected much pleasure, but my business duties have been and are so numerous that I have been unable ever to make time to attend any of your meetings.

Very respectfully yours,

Geo. W. Van Siclen

Geo. W. Van Siclen

Resignation

May 6-89

~~Acceptance~~

Withdrawn Nov 19/89

New York city May 28th 1887

The President of N. Y.
Archeological Society

Dear Sir.

Not knowing the object of your society and not being able to call on you in person I take the liberty to write you to get some idea I am the person who the Herald of the 12th inst gave an account of in reference to Peruvian Antiquities. I have excavated great many Inca graves and brought to light many relics heretofore unknown. As I have had a great deal of experience and have here with me an interesting collection it might be to our interest to begin an acquaintance I would also like to be introduced to the Society. Please answer at your earliest convenience as I go to Washington next monday address me 123 W 26th St

Truely Yours
George M. Keefe

George W. Keifer

Lacey

Nov 28 - 1887

Gilbert M. Plympton,
Counsellor at Law,
No. 245 Broadway.

New York, May 2nd, 1870.

To Secretary of the Am.
Numismatic & Archæ. Society

Sir:

In this I tender my resignation as a member of the Am. Numismatic and Archæ. Society to take effect at once upon receipt of this. I find my engagements prevent my attending the meetings of the Society and it is therefore different for me to keep my interest in

Yours &c

G. M. Plympton

G. M. P. Cynipton

Resignation
May 27-09

Accepted June 6th 09

1301 Indiana Ave

Chicago

Oct 2/89

Mr. Downe

Dear Sir

Have you any Vermont Colonial bills or Certs that you would sell if so please give me a description &c

Yours &c

Yours &c

Noted 10/10

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H. F. Elkins

Perry

Oct 7 - 1864

Louisville Ky.
Oct 4 - 89

REV. H. R. COLEMAN
1419 W. Chestnut St.,
LOUISVILLE, KY

Sec American Numismatic
& Archaeological Society
N. Y.

Esteemed Sir

I write to ask of you the favor that you will send me a few price lists of ancient coins, and if you make any charge for them I will send you the money as soon as I return from Washington, requested

I was acquainted with Rev. Benjamin Pond & brother Dr. Pond of Illinois several years prior to

Rev H. R. Coleman
Louisville

Request

Oct 4 - 1849

✓

482 Louisiana ave.
Washington D.C.
Oct. 14th 1887.

Henry Russell Drowne, Esq,
Sec'y. Numismatic & Arch. Society,
New York City.

Dear Sir: I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of Proceedings of 27th annual Meeting of the Society, which, as they come to me annually are of considerable interest to me, as I was in 1859 and '60 X until the breaking out of the Civil War, an active member of the Society in New York. I am thankful to you for your kind consideration.

Please remember me to Messrs Oliver & Noble, of whom I retain the most pleasant recollections.

Sincerely &c
William L. Franks

William L. Bramhall –
Adj Annual Proceedings
Oct 14. 1889

Willimantic Oct 25th 1889

Secretary of
The American Numismatic & Archaeological Society

I beg leave to call your attention to a fine Collection of Coins Gold Silver & Copper, that I have in my possession, and would like to sell to some Society ~~or individual who would keep~~ them entact, It contains some Gold and most all the Silver & Copper Collection of the Colonial and U.S. Coinage, some 700 pieces and about 300 pieces Foreign, about 1000 in all, very old and rare.

The Secretary of the New York Historical Society referred me to you, If you know of any one or can give me any information please do so, and I will give further particulars.

Yours Truly
Henry H Hunt
Willimantic
Conn

Rec'd Nov 25/89
Rec'd

Levels Box 310

Henry H. Hunt

Query

Oct. 25-1849

Report

Curator of Numismatics

Nov. 1887

	[illegible]	1
[illegible]	1 Bronze Medal	
[illegible]	1 Belgian [illegible] "[illegible]"	
"	1 [illegible] for German Empire	
"	2 Peruvian Horse Car tickets	
[illegible]	1 Ten Centavos of Peru	
[illegible]	1 Ten centavos. United States of Colombia	
[illegible]	1 R.C. Medallet, brass silvered,	
[illegible]	1 One centavo of Mexico 1880	
"	4 pcs Set Bulgarian Michel Coin 1888	
[illegible]	1 Coffee Trade Card, Washington Mill [illegible]	
[illegible]	67 Papal Medals in bronze	
"	6 Italian " " "	
"	2 English " " silver	
"	3 " " " White metal	
"	2 " " " Copper	
"	5 " " " Brass	
"	32 United States " " Copper	
"	28 " " " Brass	
"	10 pk 42 " " " White Metal	
"	18 Confederate " "	
"	6 " " " Copper	
"	5 " " " Brass	
"	1 " "	
"	2 Latest " "	
	1 Swedish " "	
	2 French "	
	1 [illegible] " " "	
	2 Hacienda tokens " Brass	
	241 Roman	

1		
1	English	Copper Coins
1	"	Silver "
56	"	Copper tokens, 18th & 19 Century
1	"	Brass "
11		Copper Colonial Coins
1	"	Silver " "
98	2	Small Copper Coins
1	Spanish	Silver "
1	Nassau	Copper "
1	Austrian	" "
1	Caracas	Nickel token
4	United States	Silver Coins ($\frac{1}{100}$, $\frac{2}{50¢}$, $\frac{1}{10¢}$)
1	"	Copper " Small
1	"	Silver token (Ulric Immisch)
1		Rubber " (Fred Forbell)
22		
332	Pieces in all	

Chas. H. Wright
Chester Illinois.

W. Boerum Wetmore

New Address

Nov 15 - 1889

Nov. 15. 89

Dear Sir -

Please change my address to 15 - Waverley Place. N.Y. City & oblige -

Yours truly

W. Boerum Wetmore

N Y UNIVERSITY BUILDING,
Washington Square

Mr. H. Russell Prowne
care Jacob Mendelsohn
41 North Street N.Y.

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H. DE MORGAN,
IMPORTER OF
COINS AND ANTIQUITIES,
149 WEST 49TH ST.,
NEW YORK.

NEW YORK November 16th 1889

H. R. Drowne Esq.

Dear Sir,

Would you be kind enough as to transcribe my new address "149 W. 49th St" on your lists of member of the Society. I hope also that you may find some day the time to visited my new quarter.

Believe me dear Sir

Yours respectfully

H. de Morgan

A. de Morgan

New Address –

Nov 16 – 1889

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NO. 7 WALL STREET.

New York. Nov. 19th, 18 89

Andrew C. Zabriskie Esq.

38 John St.

My Dear Sir:--

Certainly the American Numismatic and Archaeological Society is one of those to which I ought to belong. I highly approve its objects although unable to give it the attention which I would desire. I therefore, after reading your kind letter of Nov. 14th withdrew my resignation and enclose my check for the last Annual dues, requesting you to kindly hand it to the Treasurer whose address I have not before me.

Yours cordially.

C. W. Van Sicklen

Withdrawing Resignation

Nov 17-1869

American Numismatic and Archæological Society.

~~CHAS. E. ANTHON, LL.D. Prest.~~ Cor Lexington Ave & 23d St, N Y
~~WM. POILLON, Secretary~~, 61 Bethune Street N Y
~~BENJ. BETTS, Treasurer~~, 40 Bond Street Brooklyn
~~ISAAC F. WOOD, Librarian~~, 64 Madison Avenue, N. Y.
~~EDWARD GROH, Curator~~, 48 New Chambers Street, N.Y

New York, Nov. 22nd 1887.

Mr Jo. Russell Jones
Dear Sir,

I write to inform you that Mr Geo. W. Van Siclen has withdrawn his resignation and will remain, having paid dues to March 1888

Very Truly Yours
Chas Anthon

Mr. Jo. Russell Jones

Elias Pryer

Treas.

Nov 22 - 1859

WILLIAM R. WEEKS,
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
750 BROAD STREET,

Newark, N. J., Dec. 2d 1889.

Henry Russell Drowne, Esq.,
Secty, Soci. Ameri. Numis.:

Dear Sir:

Rec'd Saturday Vol. II of the Society's Minutes, from which I hope to obtain facts of historical interest. I will return it to the Society's rooms.

I am sorry to hear of your sickness, and trust you may soon be yourself again.

Yours truly,
Wm. R. Weeks,
Historiographer.

Wm R. Weeks—

Ack Receipt of Minute Books

Dec 2d 1889

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At an meeting of the American Philosophical Society held on Friday Evening September 21st 1797.

It was ordered that the following Resolution be entered on the minutes of the Society viz.

"Resolved that the thanks of this Society be tendered to Benjamin Franklin for the information relative to the Earthquake which he communicated to this Society."

The Resolution was signified to a meeting of the Committee appointed by Dr. Franklin [illegible]

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Am. Numis & Arc Soc

Instructions

Dec 5 - 1889

N.Y. Dec 9th 1889

Dear Sir

Please send all notices to me hereafter to 245 Broadway Room 8. and oblige

Yours truly

Wm H. Young

n.a

H. Russell Drowne Esq
101 East 20th St
N.Y. City

Secretary

1886 1887
Sent 11/23/9 PM

324 West 57th St
New York City

Messrs Lippincott
Will you
please to send me
the reports of the
Lucretia as I have
been informed from
the address is
Barrington
324 West 57th St
New York
January 6 Irving Pl
and oblige
Yours truly
R. T. Barrington

Received 12 24 9
Acknowledged
Answered

Miss R. T. Barrington

Address to

Dec 23 – 1889 –

Attended
H&D